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Docket No.

34227

Application No. 10/712,179	Filing Date November 13, 2003	Examiner Ngoc Lien M.	Customer No. 23589	Group Art Unit 3727	Confirmation No. 7900
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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

In response to the Office Action of July 14, 2005, it is requested that this Amendment be entered in the above-referenced application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.

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